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Carefully Filled
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3% ON SAVINGS ACCOUNTS

AMERICAN Savings Bank and Trust Co.
SECOND AT MADISON

GOSPEL TENT STANDS RAIN AT FORREST CITY

FORREST CITY, Ark., May 9. (Sp.)—The big competition erected here yesterday for the purpose of accommodating the crowds which come nightly to hear the Rev. "Trig" A. M. Thomas, who is leading in the drive inaugurated here last Sunday by the Presbyterian congregation of the city, was hit by a severe rain last night, the first on which services had been held, in protecting the people from one of the heaviest downpours of the season, but the large canvas top justified all that had been claimed for it and despite the torrents which raged on the outside all who remained under its shelter came away perfectly dry. During the heavy rain the augmented choir rendered "There Shall Be Showers of Blessings."

Dr. Thomas made the following announcements: "Friday night, May 8, a special service for the children of Central school and high school, from 7 to 9 o'clock. The program for next week: On Sunday morning, 'The Only Foundation'; Sunday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, a great mass meeting and a rally, subject, 'The Making of a Modern Man'; Sunday night, 'The Last Days of Pompeii'; Monday night, 'My Experiences With the Soldiers in the Army'; Tuesday night, 'God and the Bible on War'."

Fashions for Men.

You can't baffle a J. H. Moriarty tailor talking about new styles and color creations. We'll help you select an appropriate style and color. J. H. Moriarty & Son, Tailors, 81 S. Main, adv.

L. & N. MUST PAY BACK OVERCHARGE ON IRON

WASHINGTON, May 9.—In a supplemental report handed down today in the case of the Sioux-Shield and Iron company and other Southern steel companies against the Louisville and Nashville Railroad company and other carriers, the interstate commerce commission decided reparations must be made by the carriers on all shipments since 1910 under rates which the commission held to be unreasonable. The commission decreed that rates on the iron in carloads from Southern blast furnaces to Ohio river crossings and to certain points in Central freight territory, which exceeded rates based on April 17, 1910, and October 1, 1914, unreasonable to the extent of 25 cents per long ton. Rail and water rates to interior New England points between April 17, 1910, and June 25, 1913, were held to be unreasonable to the extent that they exceeded rates based on \$4.50 per long ton from the Birmingham district to Boston, Mass., or Providence, R. I., plus a handling charge of 40 cents per long ton, with 75 per cent of the local rates beyond contemporary success in effect. In holding that reparations must be made the commission ruled that the statute of limitations could not be invoked to prevent the refund. The carriers were ordered and the shippers were asked to prepare statements on which the amount will be decided.

QB ECZEMA TREATMENT

Eczema, Tetter and milder SKIN ERUP. TIONS attended by itching, raw soreness and inflammation causing deep-seated sores, usually may be relieved by Q. B. ECZEMA TREATMENT. First application stops the itching, soothes and disinfects.

A clean liquid; evaporates quickly; no grease to soil clothes. Safe for children as well as adults. Ask your druggist for Q. B. ECZEMA TREATMENT.

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Low Rent—Low Prices. Easy Terms. Also want to buy second-hand furniture and pianos for cash. We exchange new for old.

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A No. 2 jar of Castor-Jell contains ten doses and costs less than Castor Oil such as you have been used to taking from childhood. Get a jar today from your druggist. Money back if you are not satisfied.

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The price includes 25 rolls of music and bench. It cost \$700 when new. Must be sold at once. Will accept small payments. Will ship out of city. Call or write.

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RETAIL PRICES INITIATES INCREASES IN MANY PLACES

Department of Agriculture in Report Shows Fertilizers to Differ 80 to 150 Per Cent in Same State.

WASHINGTON, May 9. (Sp.)—The striking disclosure is made in figures gathered by the United States department of agriculture that retail prices of fertilizer materials paid by farmers at the present time vary considerably as between states and regions and widely as between counties in the same states. In some instances the variation is more than 500 per cent. For instance, a farmer in the county in Tennessee is paying \$31 a ton for nitrate of soda and in Georgia a farmer is paying \$17.50 in one county and \$4.79 in another for acid phosphate.

The department has made inquiry through the county agents and agents who work under the direction of the department and the state agricultural colleges of the retail prices of fertilizers for the principal fertilizer constituents as of May 1, 1913, in the states where fertilizers are used to a considerable extent. The data has not yet all been received, and the inquiry is being pushed, but the results thus far obtained show such wide discrepancies in the price for fertilizer material within the states and, in many instances, such an unreasonable increase in the whole sale and retail prices that the department feels justified in making a preliminary report for the information of the farmers.

Prices of Nitrate.

The wholesale quotations on nitrate of soda in New York city were \$38.50 per ton from Dec. 9, 1913, to Feb. 2, 1914. On March 2 it was \$34 per ton, and on March 19 it was quoted at \$31.50 per ton, which price has prevailed up to and including April 28. The average retail price per ton reported in the New England states was \$102.46; from Pennsylvania \$101.33; from the east north central states \$102.46; from the south central states \$99.85; from the south Atlantic states \$102.70, and from the west \$102.70. The difference in freight rates no doubt have some influence in these variations among states and regions, but freight rates alone can not explain the wide variations in prices in different counties in the same state as shown by a further analysis of the figures.

In five counties in Connecticut the average retail price varies from \$95 to \$144.87 per ton, the figures for the field range is from \$120 to \$160 per ton. In three counties in Pennsylvania the range is from \$120 to \$150 per ton; in 11 counties in Indiana the range is from \$81 to \$102.50 per ton; in 13 counties in Maryland from \$88 to \$110; in 22 counties in Virginia from \$81 to \$140; in 43 counties in South Carolina from \$84 to \$150; in 20 counties in North Carolina from \$85 to \$110; in 45 counties in Georgia from \$83 to \$125; in 20 counties in Florida from \$90 to \$120; in 9 counties in Kentucky from \$80 to \$120; in 20 counties in Alabama from \$80 to \$125; in 17 counties in Mississippi from \$82 to \$120; in 5 counties in Arkansas from \$85 to \$105; in 14 counties in Louisiana from \$81 to \$140; in 14 counties in Texas from \$81 to \$150, and in 11 counties in Tennessee from \$81 to \$150.

Prices of Acid Phosphate.

In the case of acid phosphate the wholesale price in New York remained at \$18 per ton from February, 1913, to October of the same year. November the average quotation was \$17.87; from December to February it was \$17.13; in March \$18.37, and in April \$16.22. The average retail price per ton as reported by the county agents in the New England states was \$23.90; in Pennsylvania \$23.92; in the east north central states, \$20.97; in the south Atlantic states, \$22.25; in the east south central states, \$22.19; and in the west central states, \$20.60.

In the three counties in Massachusetts the average retail price varies from \$27 to \$31.50; in five counties in Connecticut from \$25 to \$37; in eight counties in Pennsylvania from \$27.50 to \$31.25; in 35 counties in Indiana from \$27.50 to \$35; in 51 counties in Tennessee from \$25 to \$37.50; in 47 counties in Alabama from \$25 to \$39; in 27 counties in Arkansas from \$25 to \$39; in 81 counties in Georgia from \$25 to \$43; in 38 counties in Texas from \$24.25 to \$40; in 42 counties in Louisiana from \$23 to \$44.50; in 41 counties in Mississippi from \$24 to \$38; in 20 counties in West Virginia from \$23.75 to \$42; in 13 counties in Virginia from \$21 to \$42.50; in 61 counties in North Carolina from \$23 to \$39.99; in 27 counties in South Carolina from \$21 to \$42; in 15 counties in Maryland from \$24 to \$39.50. These prices are all based on the 1910 rates, and the difference of \$7.50 for sacks which during war conditions did not exceed \$3.50 per long ton. Rail and water rates for fertilizer materials and labor to carry a ton.

Further details are being assembled by the department and will be published for distribution among the farmers of the United States for their information.

RAILROADS URGED

DIERSBURG, Tenn., May 9. (Sp.)—The C. M. & G. railway, which connects Dyersburg and Hickman, Ky., a distance of about 50 miles, has been merged in the Illinois Central railway system by the railroad administration. J. O. Clapp, superintendent of the old line, has been named assistant superintendent of the I. C. railway, with headquarters here. The employees of the old line will be employed by the I. C. The offices of the C. M. & G., located here, will be discontinued.

The C. M. & G. was built about 12 years ago, largely through the efforts of R. M. Hall.

TO TAKE CHURCH CENSUS.

NEWBERN, Tenn., May 9. (Sp.)—The Newbern Methodist circuit, which is composed of four churches in this territory, with Rev. T. F. Cannon, of Newbern as pastor, has requested every member of the churches to remain at home Sunday afternoon, May 10, for the purpose of taking the centenary census of the circuit. Special committees from the churches will be engaged in the work of visiting the homes to get a record of the subscriptions that are being raised for the great movement in this section. A favorable impression is being aroused among the various churches in the county.

AFTER CANNON TROPHY.

PINE BLUFF, Ark., May 9. (Sp.)—W. N. Taylor, chairman of Jefferson county for the Victory drive that was successfully terminated last week, has received a message advising that the St. Louis district had been allotted three captured cannons and that one of them might be won by the county. The awards are to be made to counties subscribing the greatest per cent over their quota. At present the subscriptions are 105 per cent, but is planned to raise it higher.

PLENTY OF BERRIES.

NEWBERN, Tenn., May 9. (Sp.)—The strawberry season is now on in the county, and many fine berries are being shipped to the Eastern markets. Wade & Co., who are the strawberry kings in West Tennessee, have 100 acres near Dyersburg and 50 acres in the Trimble section. The growing of sweet potatoes, cabbage, beans and other farm products has become the leading industry in this section, which has greatly reduced the cotton acreage.

TO BUILD FACTORY.

HICKMAN, Ky., May 9. (Sp.)—Hickman's new \$50,000 corporation—the Curran Raincoat company—which will manufacture water-proof garments, has purchased a factory site in East Hickman, just east of the N. C. & St. L. railroad tracks and will build at once. The corporation will erect three buildings, two two-story factory buildings and a smaller one-story building to be used for water proofing.

What Is a Mother Worth?

What is a mother worth?
What has YOUR mother been worth to YOU?

Stop and think. Ask yourself that question again: "WHAT HAS YOUR MOTHER BEEN WORTH TO YOU?"

Perhaps you had not thought of it in just that way before.

Possibly you have always accepted mother as a matter of course, just as you have received all the other wonderful blessings which have come to you.

And that is why Sunday is to be celebrated as "Mothers' Day."

It will give to you and to every other man and woman, boy and girl in Memphis a special opportunity to honor mother.

You may cheer her with a loving message of flowers, in person or by messenger. Tell her again the sweet old story that you love her, in this way.

If she has passed beyond your reach, honor her memory by cheering the lonely heart of another mother whose own children are gone from her.

Do these things and your own heart will be glad.

But do not stop here.

Make every day of the year a "Mothers' Day."

Not only by the wearing of a flower or the sending of a message—these are but mere outward expressions.

Honor your mother by living every day as she would have you live.

Her one ambition was always that you might live an upright and a useful life.

She was always concerned that you might be happy, and she sought to teach you that to be happy you must be good.

Her faith in God and His goodness was always your wonder and your admiration. You saw how it comforted her in trouble and intensified her joy.

The faith that was good enough for mother is good enough for you. And by accepting it, you pay her the greatest possible honor.

If your mother has been worth anything to you, and you have failed to place a valuation on her influence, begin to pay your obligation now.

SUNDAY, MAY 11, IS MOTHERS' DAY

JOHNSON'S GREENHOUSES
153 MADISON AVE.

TWO CHURCHES ARE OVER CENTENARY QUOTAS

COVINGTON, Tenn., May 9. (Sp.)—The Clifton and Macedonia Methodist churches, of which Rev. S. R. Hart is pastor, have already gone over their quotas in the coming centenary drive of that denomination. The two churches were assessed \$5,000, and to date they have raised \$4,833.

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TEACHERS ELECTED.

HICKMAN, Ky., May 9. (Sp.)—At a meeting of the Hickman school board the following teachers were elected for the coming school year: For Hickman village, Prof. J. M. Calvin, principal; J. D. Miller, high school, and Miss Annie Sharon, Mrs. Mary Barbour, Mrs. Lora Brock, Mrs. Avey Jurney, Miss Mattie M. Seay, Miss Mildred Ramage, Mrs. Beattie Howell, Miss Light Ramey and Miss Margaret. Pupils, music teacher. Two new teachers, taking the place of Miss Mary Prather and Mrs. Ole Johnson, who were not applicants, are Miss Ruth Hilliard, of Water Valley, Ky., and Miss Christine Waterfield, of Brownsville, Tenn. They have not yet been assigned. There is also yet a vacancy in the high school to be filled. For the West Hickman school the following were elected: Mrs. Van Fuller, Mrs. Lena Parham, Miss Vivian Caldwell and Miss Ruby Seay.

JOHNSTON ENCOURAGED.

NATCHEZ, Miss., May 9. (Sp.)—Oscar Johnston, candidate for governor, who is speaking in Southwest Mississippi this week, stopped in Natchez while en route for a speaking engagement at Meadville Thursday. He stated that he had received the most encouraging reports from all sections of the state and had been told by his friends in various counties that he would carry these counties over all three of his opponents.

Mr. Johnston said that he had issued a challenge to Lieut.-Gov. Lee Russell for a series of six debates but has not yet received a reply to his challenge.

BOY IS DROWNED.

NATCHEZ, Miss., May 9. (Sp.)—LeRoy Gordon, age 16, was drowned at Butler's, several miles from Natchez, on Thursday. An inquest was held by Justice of Peace W. A. Diers and a verdict of death through accident was returned.

Our Returned Heroes

Are smoking their favorite cigar again. Samelson's Extra. 11c quality for \$c.

TO AD CENTENARY.

NEWBERN, Tenn., May 9. (Sp.)—R. E. Parker, of Crockett county, who has been recently made chairman of the Minute Men of the Dyersburg district, will lecture at the Friendship and Union Grove Methodist churches, in the county, Sunday, May 11, in behalf of the centenary movement.

MAY IS HERE

So is my new stock of Summer goods for the woman who wants only the newer and better clothes. I am making price concessions on what's left of my Spring stock—Dresses, Suits, Gowns, Caps, Coats, Hats, Waists, Skirts, Summer Furs, etc.—my no-red-tape, reference or investigation credit accommodations apply on the reduced stock as well as the new goods at regular prices. Use your credit instead of leaving your purchases in the will-call till paid for. Mrs. Miller's Ready-to-Wear and Millinery Shop, 236 S. Main St., near Linden. Bonds and stamps taken at full value.

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Notice to Taxpayers

The city tax books for 1914 assessment purposes are displayed for inspection of the public in the Council Chamber, City Hall, Courthouse. The Board of Equalization meets on the following days to review the valuation of real estate as submitted by the City Assessor:

Wards 8, 9 and 10—Monday, May 12.
Wards 7 and 22—Tuesday, May 13.
Wards 5 and 6—Wednesday, May 14.
Wards 3 and 4—Thursday, May 15.
Wards 1 and 2—Friday, May 16.

The books are open for inspection 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturdays excepted, when books will be open from 9 a.m. until 12 noon only.

The Board will be in session on above days from 10 to 12 noon for petitions from taxpayers. Written petitions for changes in valuations on wards not previously passed may be filed with the clerk at any time.

All taxpayers dissatisfied with assessment of their property should not overlook the opportunity to petition the Board, as there is no other appeal, and wards passed will not be opened for reconsideration.

Personal property assessments for individuals, corporations and all others liable for such tax will be reviewed at a later date. Due notice will be published.

BOARD OF EQUALIZATION.

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